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*Season 1942*

# Schroer Plant Farms

**Growers of Vegetable Plants**

**VALDOSTA, GEORGIA**



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Our plants may seem a little high in price in comparison with other prices. It is important to have plants grown from high grade selected seeds. Low grade cheap seeds do not produce good plants true to variety. SCHROER'S Plants Are Always Grown From High Grade Selected Seed.

We operate one of the most up to date Plant Farms in the South—

About 1000 acres for growing plants.

65 acres of irrigation, which protects us in dry weather.

Our plants are grown from the very best seeds, and only Number One Plants are being shipped—tied 50 to bunch.

Tomato, Pepper and Eggplant Plants are wrapped in paper with moss around roots. This will bring them to you in the very best growing condition. Shipping Tomato Plants from April 1st to July—Pepper and Eggplant Plants from April 15th to July.

REFERENCES: Citizens and Southern National Bank, Valdosta, Ga.  
Valdosta Chamber of Commerce.  
The Packer Produce Red Book.  
The Produce Reporter Co., Blue Book.

## Frost-Proof Cabbage Plants

WE SHIP, CABBAGE AND ONION PLANTS FROM OCTOBER 1 TO MAY 15.

**EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD:** This is the earliest pointed cabbage grown.

**LARGE CHARLESTON WAKEFIELD:** Similar to Early Jersey Wakefield, but two weeks later in maturing and weighs twice as much.

**ALL HEAD EARLY:** Well named, early, flat, large, reliable.

**HENDERSON SUCCESSION:** Medium to large size, solid, and a reliable header. A good second early Cabbage of the round head type.

**LATE FLAT DUTCH:** Produces a large solid head, and is a splendid keeper.

**COPENHAGEN MARKET:** This is an early round headed variety maturing approximately with the Wakefield, but is of larger size, weighing from five to eight pounds each, and is the favorite of the northern gardener.

**GOLDEN ACRE:** Resembles Copenhagen Market, but earlier and of smaller size.

**RED CABBAGE:** A good yellow resistant cabbage.

**FERRY'S DETROIT:** (Yellow resistant), same as Golden Acre.

**MARION MARKET:** (Yellow resistant) 75-80 days. Strain of Copenhagen Market. Will produce a normal crop on yellow infected soil where non-resistant strains fail completely.

**ALL SEASON:** (Yellow resistant) 90-95 days. Chiefly used for kraut. Also valuable for winter keeping. Heads large.

**PRICES:** Parcel Post, prepaid, 500 for \$1.50; 1000 for \$2.00; Express, collect, 1000 for \$1.25; 5000 for \$5.00.

## Sweet Potato Plants

Inspected and treated.

**IMPROVED LOUISIANA PORTO RICAN:** The best Porto Rican variety we know of. Prices, 500 for \$1.00, 1000 for \$1.75, 5000 for \$7.50. Express collect.

## Onion Plants

**CRYSTAL WAX BERMUDA:** The best Onion grown, and sells for the highest prices. Well known for its mildness and sweetness, and attractive appearance. This variety is a money maker.

**WHITE OR YELLOW BERMUDA:** The most widely and largely planted of the Bermuda variety. You will make no mistake in planting the Bermuda Onion.

**SWEET SPANISH:** A very large globe shaped, light yellow Onion, of excellent quality.

**PRIZE TAKER:** Immense size, good keeper; bright straw color, flesh white.

**YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS:** Flat, one of the hardiest, most easily grown and best keepers.

**PRICES:** Parcel Post, Prepaid, 500 for \$1.00, 1000 for \$1.50; Express, Collect., 1000 for \$1.00, 5000 for \$4.50.



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## Certified Tomato Plants

All our Tomato Plants are grown on disease free land, under State Inspection. We comply with all Certification requirements, such as disease free seed, true to name varieties and proper spraying.

READY TO SHIP APRIL 1ST.

**GULF STATE MARKET:** 77 days; fruit purplish pink; large and of uniform size; globe shaped; smooth and firm.

**PRITCHARD OR SCARLET TOPPER:** Certified and wilt-resisting. Fruit matures very early. Large, smooth, meaty, globular in shape and ripen uniformly to a very deep attractive red color, both exterior and interior. This variety is an enormous producer, and therefore requires rich or liberally fertilized moist soil.

**BONNIE BEST:** This is one of the best scarlet tomatoes now in use. It matures very early. It is very prolific, and we recommend it as a first class tomato to market gardeners.

**FLORIDA SPECIAL:** This is a large, almost globe shaped tomato, of a beautiful red color, fine flavored, firm, solid, and very prolific. Is a most excellent shipper, also fine for canning.

**JOHN BAER:** The rich scarlet-red fruits are thick through and slightly flattened on the top; smooth, firm and medium large. A favorably known home gardener's tomato.

**MARGLOBE (Wilt Resisting):** A scarlet fruited variety. Originated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture for wilt resisting. It is claimed to be also resistant to nail-head rust, which attacks tomato fruits. Fruits are of medium size, smooth, solid, and deep from stem to blossom ends.

**GREATER BALTIMORE:** A main crop—a productive red fruited variety. It is known as the best canning tomato. We grow large quantities of this variety for canning factories.

**RUTGERS:** Produces a large plant with an abundance of foliage to protect the fruit from sunscald. The fruits are medium to large, similar in shape to Marglobe, but more flattened at the end of stem. The seed cavity is small, the color is fine red, which extends clear through. Unsurpassed for market, canning or juicing. Second early in maturity.

**BRIMMER:** Large smooth Pink Tomato, solid with very little core.

**CERTIFIED PONDEROSA:** One of the best for home use. Fruits deep purplish pink, extremely large, very fleshy with few seeds.

**PRICES:** Parcel Post, Prepaid, 200 for \$1.50, 500 for \$2.25; Express, Collect, 1000 for \$2.25, 5000 and over \$2.00 per 1000.

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## Broccoli Plants

**GREEN ITALIAN:** Grown from improved seed.

**PRICES:** Parcel Post, Prepaid, 250 for \$1.25, 500 for \$1.75, 1000 for \$3.00; Express, Collect, \$2.00 per 1000—5000 for \$8.75.

## Eggplant Plants

**BLACK BEAUTY:** Popular home and market sort. Plants thrifty, 24-30 in. tall, commonly bear 4 to 6 large fruits which are smooth, broad egg-shaped; uniform, very rich dark purple, retaining the color a long time.

**PRICE:** Parcel Post, Prepaid, 100 for 75c, 250 for \$1.50, 500 for \$2.50, 1000 for \$4.50; Express, Collect, \$3.50 per 1000.

## Pepper Plants

**RUBY GIANT or WORLD BEATER:** A very valuable sweet pepper. Large and mild.

**CALIFORNIA WONDER:** Thickness of flesh alone, which is often 3-8 of an inch places this sweet pepper above all others. It is crisp and juicy. Vigorous growing plants bear a heavy yield of blocky fruits that become as much as 5 inches long and 4 inches wide. They are unusually good for serving whole.

**PIMENTO:** Thickest flesh of all peppers. The solid meat is always sweet. The skin is perfectly smooth without any ridges. Grows 3 to 3 1-2 inches in length and measures 2 to 3 inches across stem end.

**RED CAYENNE:** A hot pepper. Grows 3 to 4 inches in length. This variety is a heavy yielder.

**HUNGARIAN YELLOW WAX:** Fruits are 6-7 inches long, 2 inches thick, tapered and smooth. Highly suited for pickling whole.

**PRICE:** Parcel Post, Prepaid, 100 for 75c, 250 for \$1.50, 500 for \$2.50, 1000 for \$3.75; Express, Collect, \$3.00 per 1000.

We spray our Pepper Plants same as we do our Tomato Plants.

## GENERAL INFORMATION TO CUSTOMERS

We are shipping Plants same day order received if weather permits.

All our Plants are Government inspected against disease and insects.

All Plants for shipping are tied in bunches, holding fifty plants. We guarantee full count and safe delivery. No extra charge for mixed orders. We label each variety. We ship all plants in ventilated crates and baskets.

All our Plants are open field grown, large, healthy, and well rooted, and ready for field setting.

Our prices are subject to change.

We can be depended upon for Honest Service and Quality Plants.

If possible, have your Plants shipped by express, as they carry much better than by parcel post.

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